STATE of WISCONSIN



WHEREAS; emergency medical services are a vital public service to the people and communities of Wisconsin; and

WHEREAS; access to quality emergency care dramatically improves the survival and recovery rate of those who experience sudden illness or injury; and

WHEREAS; the State of Wisconsin continuously strives to improve the quality of emergency medical services and trauma care systems to assure all citizens the highest standards of emergency care; and

WHEREAS; emergency service personnel, including skilled dispatchers, first responders, emergency medical technicians, paramedics, nurses, and physicians (whether volunteers or paid personnel) engage in thousands of hours of specialized training and continuing education to enhance their lifesaving skills; and

WHEREAS; members of emergency medical services teams are ready to provide lifesaving care to those in need 24 hours a day, seven days a week; and

WHEREAS; people in Wisconsin benefit daily from the knowledge and skills of these highly trained individuals and their unselfish dedication to Wisconsin's residents and visitors;

NOW, THEREFORE, I, Tony Evers, Governor of the State of Wisconsin, do hereby proclaim May 19-25, 2019 as

EMERGENCY MEDICAL SERVICES WEEK

throughout the State of Wisconsin and I commend this observance to all of our citizens.



IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and caused the Great Seal of the State of Wisconsin to be affixed. Done at the Capitol in the City of Madison this 10th day of May 2019.

TONY EVERS GOVERNOR

By the Governor:

DOUGLAS LA FOLLETTE Secretary of State